COMBINED DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

Customer No. 27199

My residence, post office address, and citizenship are as stated below next to my name;

I believe I am the original, first, and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below), or an original, first, and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below), of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

Brush Head For Toothbrush

the specification of which

	is attached hereto.
<u>XX</u>	was filed on 10/22/99 as Application
	Serial No. 09/425,423
	was filed as PCT International Application
	Noon

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. §1.56.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. §119(a)-(d) or §365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate or PCT application(s) (not designating U.S.) listed below and have also identified below any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate or PCT application(s) (not designating U.S.) filed by me on the same subject matter having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

Country

Application No.

Filing Date

Priority Claimed

I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. §119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below:

Provisional Application Number

Filing Date

I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. §120 or §365(c) of any United States application(s) or PCT application (designating U.S.) listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior application(s) in the manner provided by 35 U.S.C. §112(a), I acknowledge the duty to disclose material information as defined in 37 C.F.R.

Page 1 of 3

Best Available Copy

§1.56 which occurred between. Le filing date of the prior application(s, 1) Id the national or PCT international filing date of this application:

Application Serial No.

Filing Date

Status

I hereby appoint the following attorneys to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith, and to file and prosecute national, international, and regional applications which claim priority from this application:

Donal B. Tobin (Reg. No. 25,711)
Paul I. Douglas (Reg. No. 31,244)
Edward S. Podszus (Reg. No. 35,983)
Thomas G. Krivulka (Reg. No. 38,525)
Charles P. Boukus, Jr. (Reg. No. 24,754)

Chester Cekala (Reg. No. 32,971)
Stephan P. Williams (Reg. No. 28,546)
David A. Howley (Reg. No. 34,624)
Joseph H. Handelman (Reg. No. 26,179)
Peter D. Galloway (Reg. No. 27,885)

Direct communications to David Howley at (617) 421-7093 or address to:

Patent Counsel
The Gillette Company
Prudential Tower Bldg. - 39th Floor
Boston, MA 02199

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true, and further, that these statements were made with knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

Name of first or sole inventor:	Joseph A. DePuydt
Inventor's signature:	1hall
Citizenship: United States	Date: 2/18/00
Postal Address	65 Longwood Road
	Quincy, MA 02169
Residence Address	same

Best Available Copy

Name of second joint inventor:	Bernhard Boland	
Inventor's signature:	Blend	
Citizenship: German	Date: 2.2.2000	
Postal Address	Buchwaldstrasse 17	
	D-60385 Frankfurt, Germany	
Residence Address	Same	
Name of third joint inventor:	Michael Stolper	
Inventor's signature:	Midal Half	
Citizenship: German	Date: Z. 2. 2000	
Postal Address	Neugasse 9a	
	D-65760 Eschborn, Germany	
Residence Address	Same	
Name of fourth joint inventor:	Thomas Fritsch	
Inventor's signature:	Thomas Fritsh	
Citizenship: German	Date: 4. 7. 7000	
Postal Address	Hollergewann 12	
	D-65817 Eppstein, Germany	
Residence Address	Same	